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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for an additional three-month extension of time to respond to the Official Communication dated October 31, 2001 in the above-captioned patent application.

A check in the amount of \$460.00 is enclosed to cover the Extension fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 08-1265.

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